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The newest shapes and all shades. It's time to wear a straw hat and you cannot do any better than to come in and fit your head and face. Prices 50c to \$3.00.

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THE BEACON SHOES

The niftiest line in High and Oxfords at \$3.00, 3.50, 4.00 and 4.50. They are the best values that can be found in any Shoes at the price.

For the Women and Girls

Another lot of Dresses just arrived. Something new and different from anything we have shown this season, in white and colors. Prices from \$1.69 to \$10.00.

More Suits and Coats just arrived in a new addition of styles to this department. We have been having hard work to keep up a full assortment of sizes and colors. Our Suits and Coats are as good sold as soon as they are put in stock, because our styles are right and our values are great.

OTHER NEW ARRIVALS

In washable Skirts, washable Silk Waists, Fancy Neckwear, Girdles, Bandbags, Scarfs and Hair Ornaments.

We are also offering some exceptional values in Muslin Underwear, Night Gowns, Skirts, Combinations, Corset Covers and Princess Slips.

You will find our prices on every garment and every article spells "A BARGAIN."

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BUSINESS NOTICES.

Advertisements will be inserted under this head at two cents per word for first insertion and one cent per word thereafter. Cash must accompany the order. No advertisement will be inserted for less than twenty-five cents.

WANTED.—Painting. C. H. SMALL, Morrisville.

NOTICE.—Plenty of Bedding can be secured now at the Last Block Factory on Waban Ave, Morrisville.

WANTED!—Calves, Cheap Cows and Bulls also Good Farms for sale. (Telephone 124-31) JOHN MINER, Hyde Park.

NOTICE.—The Fife Millinery discount sale will continue throughout this week only. All hats going for next to nothing. Wolcott, Vt.

FOR SALE.—Place of the late Alex St. Louis, consisting of house, barn and five acres of land. Inquire of W. C. WARD, Adams, Morrisville.

FOR SALE.—My Model N. Ford Runabout Car. Just been thoroughly overhauled. In splendid condition. Registered for 1915. G. H. PRIGG, Morrisville.

FARMS FOR SALE.—All kinds and sizes, located in best farming section of Vermont. Also village property. GEO. W. CHAPIN, Stowe.

CREAM SEPARATOR.—Having sold my cows, I have no use for a brand new Empire Separator, capacity 650 lbs; cost \$87.50. Will sell for \$62.50. FRANK STRONG, Hyde Park.

FOR SALE.—Blacksmith and Repair shop, six horse power engine, planer, band saw, turning lathe, blacksmith tools. Good tenement overhead, seven rooms; good barn. One canopy top surry. JOSEPH FOSS, North Hyde Park.

FOR SALE.—My Bay Mare, 11 years old weight 1200 pounds, good worker; one pair Work Harness, two Double Wagons, set of two-horse sleds. Will sell cheap for cash or good paper. L. B. WHITNEY, Eden Mills.

FOR SALE.—Seed Potatoes and Corn. Green Mountain Potatoes that have been raised from the most productive hills for many years. Prolific, smooth and uniform in size. Price right. Northern Corn that has very rarely failed to ripen in more than fifty years. MARTIN WHELOCK, Morrisville, R. D. 2.

The special village meeting to decide upon the question of oiling the streets, will be held this week Friday evening at town hall at 7:30.

LOCAL NEWS

MORRISVILLE

The condition of R. E. Barrows, who has been ill the past two weeks, is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Palmer of St. Johnsbury were guests of friends in town the first of the week.

Rev. W. T. Best has chosen for his subject next Sunday morning "The Battle of Armageddon."

The pre-memorial exercises of the village schools will be held at town hall Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Public invited.

George Olmsted was in town from Barre the first of the week. He reports that the clerks' strike in that city is still unsettled.

Regular meeting of Lamoille Commandery Thursday evening. Installation and important business demands a full attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Welch and son, Maynard, of Hardwick, were guests on Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Tillotson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Schutt and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Stevens spent Friday last at Corey Pond, bringing home a nice string of trout.

Wesley Spencer has purchased of A. H. Bentley the latter's farm in West Elmore. The trade was made through the Homer C. Smith agency.

Rev. R. D. Cramer of the Universalist church supplied for Rev. W. E. Baker at the Delano School house last Sunday afternoon, giving an able discourse.

Mrs. F. W. Mould and daughters, Mary, and Esther, went to North Troy on Monday for a visit at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. H. H. Butterfield.

John Stewart, who has been spending some time at his former home in Northfield, returned here Monday and has begun work as clerk in the Blair shoe store.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Pickett of Cleveland, Ohio, are making an extended stay at the home of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Clark, on Maple street.

Mrs. Owen Flanders of Boston, who has been spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Liberty, went Saturday to Plattsburg, N. Y., to visit her sister, Mrs. Geo. Riel.

The condition of Mrs. Cordelia Smith, who has been seriously ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Will Smilie, in Waterville for several months, is slowly improving. She is now able to sit up most of the time.

The Uplift Club met at the home of Mrs. H. L. Delano on the Elmore mountain road this afternoon. The meeting took the form of an old-fashioned quilting party and was much enjoyed. There was a good attendance.

Ray Lilley, train dispatcher at Lyndonville, was in town Tuesday, the guest of his mother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Ober. He was on his way to Minneapolis, to attend a National Train Dispatchers Convention.

Morrisville people will be pleased to know that Mrs. Maud Huntington Benjamin of Malden, Mass., who has been enjoyed by local audiences in the past, will give a recital here June 15 under the auspices of the United Workers of the Congregational church. Mrs. Benjamin will be assisted by out of town talent.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Gates and Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Small returned Monday from an automobile trip of several days. Mr. and Mrs. Gates spent a few days with their daughter, Miss Mary Gates, and Prof. and Mrs. Beebe in Proctor, and Mr. and Mrs. Small visited friends in Rutland. The party also visited in Burlington.

Herbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kelley, who reside on the cross road between Tenney Bridge and Elmore, sustained a severe wound in his leg, above the knee, yesterday. He was cutting out the roots to a tree in the front yard when the front yard when the axe slipped. Drs. George and Charles Bates dressed the wound, which was not as serious as was at first feared.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Slayton returned home last Wednesday night from a visit to various points, making the trip home in their car, which has been at the factory in Hartford, Conn. They visited their son, G. Noyes Slayton, in New York City, Mrs. Slayton's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie M. Carpenter, at Summit, N. J., and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. F. Slayton in Millis, Mass.

A pleasing feature of the musical part of the service at the Methodist church last Sunday morning was the baritone solo, "God of Abraham," from Elijah, by E. H. Bridgman of Hardwick. Mr. Bridgman also favored the audience with a well rendered violin solo. In the evening at the same church the musical part of the union was augmented by the fine rendition of Bartlett's "The Day Ended," by Mrs. Ila Niles Jackson, with cello obligato by Alton Lawson.

Lamoille County Court

Lamoille County Court opens at Hyde Park next Tuesday with Hon. Z. S. Stanton as presiding judge. The docket shows 89 cases, divided as follows:—Court 46, divorce 18, state 9, chancery 16. For the first time in several years a grand jury is called and this, with the regular business, indicates that the term will be of more than the ordinary length.

Morristown's Old Soldiers

That the Ranks of the old veterans are thinning with each recurring year is a solemn fact, which is brought forcibly to mind at this season of the year. Through the courtesy of an old subscriber the News and Citizen gives below a list of the Civil War veterans, numbering 39, now living in Morristown:—

John Bettis, John Bedell, George A. Bridge, David D. Brown, Lyman L. Camp, J. M. Chaplin, George A. Cheney, Orville D. Choate, E. W. Clough, Chas. A. Davis, Wm. Demeritt, A. J. Douglass, G. W. Drown, Ed. Dunham, Samuel C. Eaton, Geo. W. Foss, W. H. H. Goodell, James LaPlant, L. Laraway, Simon D. Luce, W. G. McClintock, Michael Manning, L. M. Mayott, Chas. H. Miner, Frank Morse, Albert A. Niles, Charles Noe, W. B. Patch, Martin Pope, Frank Putnam, Daniel W. Rodgers, Charles A. Sanders, Carlos Shaw, Joseph Sherman, H. W. Smith, H. O. Spaulding, James Stein, Austin Wilkins, Francis Young.

The following deaths have occurred since May 30, 1913:—

Isaiah Blair, March 6, 1914; Julius Bliss, July 24, 1914; A. L. Chapman, May 4, 1914; L. A. Davis, April 28, 1914; Oliver W. Davis, August —, 1913; Frank Kenfield, June 11, 1914; Geo. E. Mudgett, June 17, 1914; Samuel Stone, April 6, 1914; Henry Tillotson, —, 1913; Chas. R. White, July 28, 1914; George Wilson, Sept. 2, 1914.

Everett B. Merriam Dead

George W. Clark received a telegram yesterday morning, announcing the death of Everett B. Merriam, president of the Merriam Mortgage and Loan Company, which occurred at his home in Topeka, Kansas, Monday, after an illness of two weeks from pneumonia.

Mr. Merriam, who was 77 years of age, was very well known in Lamoille County and throughout Vermont. He was for many years a well known Morristown business man, leaving here nearly twenty-five years ago, since which time he has been actively identified with his sons in the business which he established and of which he was president at the time of his death.

He leaves a wife, who was Sarah Dillingham of Johnson, a cousin of Senator Dillingham; two sons, Frank and Carroll B. Merriam, and one daughter, Mrs. Charles M. Sheldon, wife of the celebrated writer and preacher. He was an uncle by marriage of George W. Clark, having been a brother of the late Mrs. Joseph Noyes.

Mr. Merriam always retained a deep interest in this town and county and been a liberal supporter of local institutions and enterprises.

The body of John E. Harris passed through here to-day on the way to Danville. "Jack" had many friends here who regret his death.

The condition of Mrs. I. N. LeBaron, who has been in poor health for the past three years, has not been as favorable for the past few days.

Mrs. E. B. Harris left last Thursday night for Los Angeles, Cal., where she will spend some time with her daughter, Miss Brenda Harris.

The orangeade window at the A. L. Cheney drug store this week is worthy of mention. The way the air balloons got the crowd is a good hint to the Fair management for the coming big event.

The igniting of a box containing vaseline, which had been placed in the stove at the S. E. Stevens store, caused a small blaze in a rear room last Thursday night at about 10:30. The fire company was called out but was not needed.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark B. Smith are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a son, Ellis Edgar, born Monday afternoon. The young man weighs nine pounds and five ounces. Mrs. Myra Stiles is caring for mother and son.

The Juvenile Drum Corps, which has dispensed martial music for various occasions the past year, will hold a social in Academy hall at 7:30 p. m., Saturday. An admission of five cents will be charged and refreshments will be served. The proceeds will be used to purchase new uniforms.

Rev. W. E. Baker was at Peacham Sunday, where he preached the baccalaureate sermon before the graduating class of Peacham Academy. This is the third successive year that Mr. Baker has delivered the address at Peacham. The trip was made in the J. M. Kelley automobile, Mr. Kelley acting as chauffeur.

Mrs. C. F. Blair and children, who have been at the Blair home here for several weeks, left Saturday morning, going to Poughkeepsie, N. Y., for a few days' visit at the home of Mrs. Blair's brother. Mr. Blair expects to join her there the last of the week. They will return soon to their home in Buffalo, N. Y.

THE EARLE STORE

NEW GOODS JUST ARRIVED

Kimona Aprons Misses' Underwear
Hosiery Baby Bonnets
Ribbons Silk Girdles at 50c and \$1.00
Colored Parasols
Lace Collars and Collar and Cuff Sets
Fine Huckaback for Guest Toweling
Rickrack Fabrics for Dresses and Waists
Something New

A Few Suggestions ABOUT WHAT TO BUY for the GIRL GRADUATES would not come amiss. We suggest White Parasols, White Gloves both long and short, White Silk Hose, Girdles, Fancy Collars, Handkerchiefs, Scarfs, White Silk Waists. Of course there are many more things, but we just mention a few of the useful articles that would be acceptable.

GEORGE F. EARLE

Morrisville, Vermont

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Direct from the growers in Maryland. We save you the middle man's profit. Maryland Strawberries are the finest that grow. They are the rich, ripe, luscious kind. They are the kind with a flavor—not too green, not over ripe, and the price only

Two for a Quarter

SATURDAY

We shall give 15 full size packages Washington Corn Flakes for \$1.00, 7 for 50c, 3 for 25c.

ARTHUR W. WAITE, Morrisville

Commencement Week at P. A.

The forty fifth annual graduating exercises of Peoples Academy will be held Wednesday evening, June 2, at town hall in Morrisville.

The first event of Commencement week will be the Junior reception, which will be held at Academy hall this week Friday evening. Sunday evening the Baccalaureate sermon will be preached by Rev. W. E. Baker at the Cong'l church; Monday evening, prize speaking at the Academy hall; Tuesday morning, at 8 o'clock, Alumni business meeting at town hall; Tuesday afternoon, Class Day; Tuesday evening, Alumni banquet at the Cong'l church, preceded by reception at the town hall; Wednesday evening, graduating exercises at the town hall.

The Class honor roll is composed of I. Allen Drowne, valedictorian; Susan N. Delano, salutatorian; Ralph E. Drowne, Alice M. Grout, Mary E. Cole.

Following is a list of the graduates and the course which they have completed:—

Latin Course—Mary Ella Cole, Susan Narcissa Delano, Ralph Emery Drowne, Isaac Allard Drowne, Elsie Lucile Hobson, Marion Slayton, Ralph Perley Terrell.

English Course—William Maxwell Meacham, Wylie Lee Tift, Harlie Edward Wilson.

Commercial Course—Francis Lincoln Merritt.

Teacher Training Class, in Senior year—Bessie Catherine Coburn, Alice May Grout, Delta May Kaiser, Eltha May Robson, Beulah Merle Sherwood, Susan Beryl Stewart.

Read Briggs' razor adv. "To Oil or Not to Oil." This is the question to be decided Friday night.

C. T. Morrill left today for a business trip through the West and South in the interest of the Warren Leather Company.

In the suit brought by Mrs. Fred Lawrence against Mr. Lawrence, which was to have been tried at the June term of court, a satisfactory settlement has been reached and the case discontinued.

W. L. Farrar, formerly a merchant at North Wolcott, died a this home in Mackville, Hardwick, Tuesday night. He had been in poor health for some time. Funeral services will be held at his home Thursday. He was a member of Lamoille Commandery.

Last evening at N. E. O. P. hall between sixty and seventy members were present, the occasion being a shower given Miss Clara Mercia in honor of her approaching marriage to Charles W. Tinker. Miss Mercia was presented with a large number of presents, including linen and silver. A musical and literary program was given, dancing was enjoyed and refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Number Twelve

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Jones are rejoicing over the birth of a son, born Monday night. Mrs. Ed Tatro of the west part of town is caring for mother and child. This makes number 12. Mr. Jones is 36 years of age and Mrs. Jones is two years younger.

Will Take R. R. Valuation

A force of five men are making headquarters in Morrisville for the present while making a survey of the St. J. & L. C. branch of the B. & M. railroad. This is being done in connection with the government valuation of railroads, which is in charge of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Charles A. Prouty of Vermont, chairman. D. B. Hill of Boston has charge of the work and has an office over H. A. Slayton & Co's store. There is about 98 miles of this division and it will probably take until the first of October to complete the work on this line.

Will Study Cancer

Dr. George L. Bates was in Montpelier the first of the week, where arrangements were made for a meeting of the State Medical Society, to be held there on Friday, June 11. This society is planning a campaign of four meetings to be held in Vermont for the study of cancer, the meetings to be held as follows:—Rutland, June 8; Burlington, June 9; St. Johnsbury, June 10, and Montpelier, June 11. The committee of arrangement for the Montpelier meeting are Dr. Geo. L. Bates, Morrisville; Dr. M. F. McGuire, Montpelier; Dr. F. T. Kidder, Woodstock, and Dr. C. S. Leach, Hyde Park. At each of the meetings there will be free clinics during the forenoon sessions.

Morrisville Girl Wins Medal

Morrisville people will be interested in the following from the St. Paul (Minn.) Pioneer Press of recent date, as it records the success of a Morrisville young lady, who has a large circle of friends here:—"The commencement exhibit of the work done by the students in the art school of the St. Paul Institute was held last night in the school quarters on the third and fourth floors of the Auditorium building. Every available foot of wall space was literally papered with the work of the students. One hundred and twenty-five contributed to the exhibit. Miss Ruth F. Greene, who is studying in St. Paul, although her home is in Morrisville, Vt., was awarded the silver medal for general excellence."

Will Be a Hummer

The big sale of the new management of the Blair shoe store, in which they will clean up all the odds and ends of this big, well-selected stock, begins tomorrow. It will be a hummer. See ad. on page three.

State's Attorney Maurice and Hon. F. G. Fleetwood were in Stowe today on legal business.